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LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. Bry have been in Calgary for the past week.

Mr. R. Vanhook made a business trip to Calgary this week.

Mr. Geo. Huggard was a business visitor at Calgary this week.

The "Ladies Aid" met at the home of Mrs. B. Dobson on Wednesday.

Notice—Watch for posters for later date of Horse Sale, Huggard & Vanhook.

Master Earl Robinson is spending the Easter holidays with relatives at Sibbald.

Mrs. Chas. Neff is visiting at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Turple, for a few days this week.

The Woman's Institute met at the home of Mrs. W. Meade last week. There was a good attendance.

Miss Leishman and also Miss Erickson, of Youngstown, were the guests of Miss May Todd on Wednesday.

Miss Pauline Murphy, of Saskatoon, is spending the Easter holidays in Chinook with Miss Norma Hurley.

Mr. W. S. Kerek, Principal of the Chinook school, is spending the Easter holidays with his parents at Strathmore, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Steckel, teachers at the Chinook school, left for Calgary Saturday morning, where they are spending the Easter vacation.

Miss Norma Hurley, who is attending school at Saskatoon, returned home Saturday to spend the Easter vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hurley.

Mrs. U. S. Peterson, from south of Chinook, is in the Cereal Hospital, where she underwent an operation last week. Latest reports are that she is getting along nicely.

Mrs. J. L. Carter and daughter, Miss Dorothy, left for Calgary on Saturday morning, where they spent Easter and enjoyed the sights of the city. They returned home Wednesday morning.

John F. Miller, Eye Sight Specialist, of 404 Underwood Block, Calgary, will be at the hotel in Chinook on Friday, April 20th, for the purpose of correcting your and your children's eyes. Do not miss this opportunity.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Watson returned last week after having spent the winter in Edmonton. Mr. Watson has been acting as staff correspondent for the U. F. A. official paper at the Legislative Assembly at Edmonton.

Mrs. Esler, of Cereal, who was called to St. Mary's, Ontario, by reason of the serious illness of her father, had one of her legs broken by being run over with a team which had got beyond control. Mrs. Esler was standing on the sidewalk when the team came rushing by, and could not get out of the way in time to escape injury.

Germination tests of wheat which has been threshed this spring prove that the vitality has been badly damaged. If there is a widespread planting of this spring threshed wheat disastrous results will follow. The directors of the Alberta Wheat Pool are greatly concerned over this menace and urge farmers to have their seed tested for germination.

Mrs. Hurley gave a party Saturday evening in honor of her daughter, Norma, and also her guest, Pauline Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Massey went to Calgary this week to visit at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Butts.

Notice—Watch for posters for later date of Horse Sale, Huggard & Vanhook.

H. Howton has accepted the agency for the Empire Wall Paper Co., Winnipeg. Prices ranging from 10 cts. to \$1.50 Per Roll. Call and see sample books.

Miss Dorothy Roberts, of the Royal Bank staff, Cereal, spent two days this week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Roberts, and other friends in Chinook.

Notice—Watch for posters for later date of Horse Sale, Huggard & Vanhook.

Miss May Todd, who has been attending the Normal School at Calgary, returned on Friday to spend the Easter holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Todd.

Mr. Parsons, manager of the Royal Bank, Cereal, underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Mayo Bros. Hospital, and we are glad to report that the operation was successful, and that Mr. Parsons is improving rapidly.

There was a good crowd and excellent music, and a swell time at the Tennis Club dance on Easter Monday, and the club appreciate the generous support which the people of the town and surrounding district gave them. Total proceeds amounted to \$92.45.

The Ladies' Card Club met at the home of Mrs. L. Robinson on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jacques held the highest score, the prize being a pair of lovely embroidered pillowcases. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Massey.

The annual meeting of Chinook United Church, which was to have been held April 11th, has been postponed until next Wednesday, April 18th. A fine set of pictures will be shown and the Ladies Aid are providing light refreshments. This is an invitation to all adults and young people, members and friends and supporters to join in a Church "At Home".

W. W. Wilson, the popular farmer and bailiff of the Colbourne district, came to town one day last week to visit his wife and new baby, which was born in the Cereal hospital. Billy was quite disappointed to find that the new arrival was a boy, as he had been wanting a girl very badly. However, after shedding a few crocodile tears over his disappointment, and finding that the boy was a real Wilson in every particular, Billy decided to accept the newcomer into the family, but warned both Dr. Esler and Nurse Swan son that if it was not a girl the next time he brought his wife to the hospital, he would wreck the whole works.—Cereal Recorder.

Married

TWYNING-BIDNE

A quiet but pretty wedding took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. K. Bidne, on Monday, April 9th, when their only daughter, Minnie B. Katharine, was united in marriage to Mr. W. S. Twynning. Rev. McCounell of New Briden officiated. After a short trip the happy couple will reside at the home of the groom, south of Little Gem.

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The architect and building men, Who plan and rear it base to dome, Will work a miracle again, And turn a tree into a HOME.

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PHONE 12

Mrs. W. S. Lee and little son Jackie, left on Tuesday morning for Kindersley, Sask., where they will visit with relatives for a short time.

Mr. David Smith, of the bank staff at Delia, spent Easter Sunday and Monday in Chinook with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Smith.

RED ROSE TEA

"is good tea"

The Orange Pekoe, at a little extra cost, is extra good

In clean, bright Aluminum

Railway Construction in the West

Only a few years ago there was a feeling throughout Canada that the construction of railways in the Dominion had been rather overdone. This opinion was freely stated by many men in public life, by bank presidents and financiers, and found expression in newspapers all over the country. The statement was frequently made that Canada had built railways fifty years in advance of the time when they would be needed and the population and productive capacity of the country warranted. The greatest financial danger confronting the Dominion, it was alleged, was its heavy commitments on account of railways.

The fact that Canada possesses the greatest railway mileage per capita of any country in the world, and the further fact that a few years ago during the war the Canadian Northern, Grand Trunk and Great Western Pacific Railways got into financial difficulties and had to be taken over by the Dominion Government, and that for some years following during the post-war depression the Canadian National was operated at a heavy financial loss, no doubt accounted for these rather pessimistic views. An entirely different opinion exists today.

When the C.P.R. was first projected the same faint-hearted views prevailed. The idea of a transcontinental railway across Canada from the Atlantic to the Pacific, crossing thousands of miles of undeveloped prairie land and over the Rocky Mountains, was ridiculed in the English press as the dream of madmen, and even in Canada it was predicted that such a railway would never enter the cost of its construction. The world realizes today how false all these dire predictions have proven to be.

The opinions expressed only a few years ago during the anxious days of the war and the world depression which followed are proving to be equally erroneous.

In a most instructive address before the Canadian Club at Regina recently, Mr. Cyril Young, of the Industrial Development Department of the Canadian National Railways, stated that for hundreds of miles along the main line of the new transcontinental, through the clay belt of Ontario, the railway was earning an operating surplus, while bringing about settlement and building up important industries, giving to Canada what heretofore it has lacked, depth in addition to its immense width.

In the past, Canada has boasted of its boundaries resting upon two oceans, east and west. Now, with the rapid pushing forward of the Hudson Bay Railway, Canada looks forward with eager anticipation and confidence to the day not far distant when its commerce will likewise pass through a third ocean on the north. And even before that railway is completed to Umanowagan, a branch line is being rushed to completion in order to handle the enormous traffic which will result from the development of the Flin Flon and other mining areas of the north which, it is predicted, will rival the rich mineral areas in the known world.

Todday, instead of believing that railway construction has been overdone in Canada, the two great railway systems of the Dominion are steadily increasing their construction programmes. Last year Parliament authorized an extensive branch lines construction programme for the Canadian National, largely in Western Canada, and providing for the building within three years of some hundreds of miles of new railways. That work, which was started last year, is to be pushed with vigor during 1928.

Nor does the C.P.R. lag behind. The annual report of that Company issued last month records the fact that during 1927 no less than 203 miles of new branch lines were graded and track laid on 170 miles, while for the year 1928 the directors recommended the building of no less than eleven extensions in the provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan involving the construction of an additional 247 miles of new lines.

Not to be outdone by the West, the Ontario Government is steadily pushing its system northward towards Hudson Bay, while branch feeders are spreading out into districts where mining developments are taking place.

The Government at Ottawa is confronted with applications for new railway charters for lines in northern Saskatchewan, Alberta and British Columbia aggregating thousands of miles with a view to providing for the opening up and development of the north country and the creation of new outlets to the Pacific.

These are the answers now being given to those who predicted disaster for Canada on account of its railway construction of a few short years ago. Take Saskatchewan as an example. Youngest among the provinces it already enjoys a railway mileage second only to that of Ontario, and during this year of 1928 work will be in progress upon approximately 500 miles of new branch lines, not including the Hudson Bay Railway and the Flin Flon branch, both of which will directly serve the Province.

And as if to provide the final answer to the faint-hearted of a few years ago, the Canadian National has turned its operating deficits into substantial operating surpluses, surpluses sufficiently large to meet all the interest payments on bonds and debentures held by the public, while, through the encouragement given to settlement and industrial development all over the country, the Federal Government is receiving a substantial, albeit indirect, return for the money Canada has invested in this system.

Railway development, past, present, and future, is the foundation upon which Canadians are erecting a strong, prosperous, and ultimately self-contained nation, a nation that is destined to occupy a place in the very front rank of world powers.

The first known deposit of helium gas in Europe has been found at Fussenheim, Baden, in Germany, 600 meters under surface.

A motoring Journal suggests that the radiator should be more artistic. After all, it is often the first thing about a car that strikes you.



Acid Stomach

Excess acid is the common cause of indigestion. It results in pain and sourness about two hours after eating. The quick corrective is an alkali which neutralizes acid. The best corrective is Phillips' Milk of Magnesia. It has remained standard with physicians in the 60 years since its invention. One spoonful of Phillips' Milk of Magnesia neutralizes instantly many times its volume in acid. It is harmless and tasteless and its action is quick. You will never rely on crude cathartics, never continue to suffer when you learn how quickly, how pleasantly this premier method acts. Please let it show you now.

Be sure to get the genuine Phillips' Milk of Magnesia prescribed by physicians for 60 years in correcting excess acids. Each bottle contains full directions—any druggist.

Western Canada Livestock Union

Annual Convention For 1929 Will Be Held At Edmonton

The 1929 annual convention of the Western Canada Livestock Union, will be held in Edmonton, it was decided at the recent session of this organization, which was held in Vancouver, B. C. A. Wright, of Dr. Williams, Saskatchewan, has been re-elected president of the organization for the coming year. J. L. Walters, of Clive, is the provincial vice-president for Alberta, Olaf Olafson, of Mortlach, occupies the same position for Saskatchewan, and George Gordon, of Oak Lake, for Manitoba. C. M. Learmonth, of Regina, continues as secretary of the Union for 1929.

A SPRING TONIC

AN AID TO HEALTH

You Can Lay the Foundation of Good Health Now By Building Up Your Blood and Strengthening Your Nerves Through the Use Of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

The good old fashion of taking a tonic in the Springtime, like most of the customs of our grandparents, is based upon sound common sense and good medical practice. Winter is always a trying time for those who are not in rugged health. Many men, women and children go through the winter on reserve strength they have stored up during the sunny summer months, and grow increasingly pale and languid as the spring days approach. A tonic for the blood and nerves at this time will do much for such people, by putting color in the cheeks and banishing that tired feeling that worries thousands of people at this season of the year.

It is impossible to be energetic if your blood is thin and weak, or if your nerves are frayed or shattered. You cannot compete with others if you do not get refreshing sleep at night, or if your appetite is poor or you are losing weight. You need a tonic at this time to add to your efficiency now, as well as to save you from suffering later on. And in all the realm of medicine, there is no safer or better tonic than Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills tone and enrich the blood which circulates through every portion of the body, strengthen faded nerves and set down organs, and bringing a feeling of new strength and energy to weak, easily tired, despondent men, women and children.

Mrs. L. Hupman, Sumnerville, Ontario, N.S., writes: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been of the greatest benefit to me. A few years ago I was in a badly run down condition. I became so weak and nervous that I could scarcely go about and doing my housework left me completely used up. Everything seemed to worry me, and I was in a very discouraging condition when I began taking Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and continuing their use I have regained my health. Since then I always take a few boxes in the Spring to keep me up for the rest of the year, and always find the best results. I therefore cheerfully recommend these pills as the best of health builders."

You can get these pills from any medicine dealer, or by mail at 50 cents a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Growth Of Catholic Church

Catholics In United States Now Total Nearly Twenty Millions

There are 19,689,409 Catholics in the United States, the official Catholic directory for 1928 shows. This is an increase of 207,783 over last year. The total of Catholic churches in the U.S. was listed at 16,293, with 25,773 priests. Of the latter, four are cardinal-archbishops, thirteen archbishops, and 91 bishops.

A Poe To Asthma. Give Asthma a chance and it is going to ground rapidly. But give it repeated treatments of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy and it will fall back even faster. There is no half way measure about this remedy. It goes right to work and drives asthma out. It reaches the utmost breathing passages and leaves no place for the trouble to lurk. Have it by you for ready use.

Heavy Apple Production In Okanagan

It is estimated that there will be an apple production of 1,075,000 boxes in the southern part of the Okanagan Valley, British Columbia, this year. The estimate is based on present excellent prospects, all season long in the orchards being of a favorable nature. Peaches, apricots and cherries also give promise of heavy yields.

Theatres and movie houses of New York have 1,500,000 patrons daily. There are 208 theatres and 580 movie houses with a seating capacity of 558,973.

People used to think the world was flat. Then it was found to be round. But it's still just a little crooked in spots.

In parts of North Slant both parties to a lawsuit are under water, and the one staying under the longest wins the suit.

Use Minard's Liniment For Corns.

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Saskatchewan Creamery Butter

The output of creamery butter in Saskatchewan in February totalled 477,583 pounds, a ten per cent. increase over the January production.

Lake Superior, because of its altitude of 602 feet, is highest above sea level of all the Great Lakes.

PIMPLES ON FACE AND HANDS

Were Hard and Red. Could Not Do Hard Work, Cuticura Heals.

"Small pimples broke out on my face which later grew larger and more numerous. I tried many remedies but they helped me. I continued the treatment and after using two cakes of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment I was healed." (Signed) A. W. Babychuk, Winhart, Sask.

Use Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum to promote and maintain skin purity, skin comfort and skin health; the skin to cleanse and purify. Ointment to soothe and heal, and Talcum to powder and refresh.

Sample Size Free By Mail. Address: Canadian Cuticura Sales Co., 1201 Broadway, New York, N.Y. Cuticura Soap and Ointment, 25c. Cuticura Talcum, 10c. Cuticura Shaving Stick, 25c.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

APRIL 15

TRANSFIGURATION AND SERVICE

Golden Text: "He that abideth in Me, and I in him, the same bearing one another's burdens."—John 15:5.

Lesson: Mark 9:2-29.

Devotional Reading: John 15:1-8.

Explanations and Comments

The Transfiguration, verses 2-8.—Six days after Peter's expression of his conviction that Jesus is the Christ, Jesus took Peter, James, and John apart from the rest and ascended a high mountain where he was transfigured before them. The other disciples were with him, and he revealed to them his glory. The longer we live the more profoundly we believe that no one has actually more than two or three friends. He is a friend—and only he—to whom you can lay bare your heart without the pledge of secrecy. The real friend is interested in you—your joys, your triumphs, your failures become his very own.

Luke 9:20 says that the fashion of his countenance was altered; Matthew 17:2 says "His face did shine as the sun," "the glory of the Godhead burst through the veil of the flesh." "It was not a splendour that shone from without, and lighted Him up; the glory came from within; it corresponded to something going on in His mind."

He prayed, Matthew and Luke tell us, that this transfiguration took place. The story is preceded and followed in the Gospels by Christ's predictions of suffering, death, and resurrection. The Transfiguration was a preparation for the events so near at hand.

"On that mountain, He laid Himself like another Isaac on the altar, and he knew that the sacrifice would be demanded. The very glory of the event contains a hint of the struggle which had been going on in His mind. He was no impassive hero of a romantic history; He was a Soul in the agony of a momentous spiritual transaction. The hour had come when He was to make a voluntary dedication of Himself for a sacrifice than which history knows no sublimer; and the self-consecration was destined to be met by a distinct communication of divine approval. As He was praying about His Passion, He entered into the ecstasy of oneness with the heavenly Father; in the heart of Jesus all his holy resolutions, all his life-time encouragements and strengthenings, as the fashion of His countenance became changed."

Songs Longest Remembered

Not in Long Program But Those Heard By Chance

Let any man shut his eyes and remember the occasion when he was most moved by music. How many of those occasions were concerts in large halls or moments at musical parties. And how many were chance songs in the streets of in lanes, or a blend of voices on a lake at night, or a chorus in some mountain hotel? A long program of music is like a large gallery of pictures or a museum full of sculpture. It defies its own purpose. A tune or a picture should be a full meal for the soul, the effect of which will only be spoiled by over-eating.

The case with which corns and warts can be removed by Holloway's Corn Remover is its strongest recommendation. It seldom fails.

Recipes For This Week

(By Betty Barclay)

DINNER PAIR DELIGHT

- 1 cup sugar.
 - 2 cups flour.
 - 2 teaspoons baking powder.
 - Pinch of salt.
 - 1/2 cup shortening.
 - 1/2 cup nectar raisins.
 - 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon.
 - 1/2 teaspoon nutmeg.
- Sift flour, sugar, baking powder and salt together; add other ingredients. Then add enough water to make a paste. Roll out on board, with biscuit cutter and bake 15 minutes.

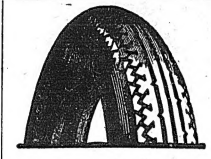
CHOCOLATE JUNKET

- 1 junket tablet.
 - 1 pint milk.
 - 2 squares chocolate.
 - 3 tablespoons sugar.
 - 1 teaspoon vanilla.
- Heat the milk until lukewarm; add the sugar, stir until dissolved. Melt two squares of chocolate in a half cup of the warm milk and boil a moment; add to it carefully the remainder of the milk, the vanilla and the dissolved tablet; stir and pour at once into dessert glasses. Serve with sweetened cream or custard sauce.

The normal atmospheric pressure on the body at sea level is 14.7 pounds per square inch.

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Minard's Liniment for cuts and bruises.



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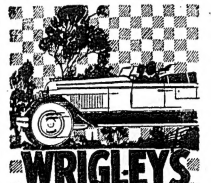
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A sugar-coated gum that affords double value. The peppermint flavor in the sugar coating and peppermint flavored gum inside.



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Canada's Water Power Resources

Of the 11,911,030,000 kilowatt hours of electricity generated in Canada last year, almost 99 per cent. of the total was hydro-electric. Fuel plants generated only 1.4 per cent. It is estimated that the water power of Canada would warrant the installation of about 42,000,000 h.p. At present only 4,882,369 h.p. is under installation for electric power.

The Oil For the Farmer.—A bottle of Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the farm house will save many a journey for the doctor. It is not only good for the children when taken with colds and croup, and for the mature who suffer from pains and aches, but there are directions for its use on sick cattle. There should always be a bottle of it in the house.

Sheffield, which now has a population of 500,000, was once a little Norman settlement and later a pleasant country place.

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The Farmyard Hen Produced In Canada Last Year Over 253 Million Dozen Of Eggs

Some one has figured that if the eggs laid in Canada in 1927 were placed end to end they would girdle the universe four and a half times. It certainly staggers the imagination to comprehend over three million eggs or 115,000 miles of them. And these are the farm eggs only. Dear know how many more thousands of miles should be added for the eggs laid in poultry houses in the cities and suburban areas in Canada, but the number must be considerable. All of them, whether from farm or city, disappear down the national gullet at the rate of 6,000 per minute. The rate is of course much faster at meal times, for these figures are on a 24-hour basis. Still there are not enough to satisfy the national appetite and some eggs have to be imported into Canada.

Canadians are the greatest egg-eaters on the face of the globe and consumption has been increasing tremendously, especially since egg-grading regulations came into force. It is estimated that Canadians now consume something like 337 eggs per capita per annum. Production of farm eggs in 1927 equalled 320 eggs per capita. While production is increasing rapidly, principally through the breeding of better hens rather than increasing the flocks, consumption is increasing at a still more rapid rate as indicated by the excess of imports over exports of eggs.

Canada imported roughly 3 1/2 million dozen eggs in 1927, and exported less than half a million dozen. Excess of imports over exports rose by a million dozen over the previous year. These are figures on eggs in the shell. Eggs other than in the shell or n.o.p. as they are shown in trade statistics, are also imported into Canada in some volume, especially in recent years. Most of the eggs in this class come from China and the total amount imported in 1927 amounted to slightly over 2 million pounds, compared with 1.3 million pounds in the previous year.

The unfavorable trade balance resulting from excess of imports over exports of eggs amounted to roughly \$1,700,000 in 1927. This is an increase over 1926 of upwards of a million dollars. Considered by themselves these figures may appear large but they fade away by comparison with a farm egg production in 1927 of over 253 million dozen valued at over \$80,000,000. The long and short of it is that Canada just barely failed to meet her egg requirements last year by about 3 1/2 in-the-shell eggs per capita to which must be added the imports of prepared eggs amounting to perhaps two eggs per capita. Domestic egg production failed to meet the national appetite therefore by roughly one-half dozen per capita—a trifling amount it is true, but the shortage is increasing.

What is the outlook? Can Canada meet her own egg requirements in the future? Can she regain her lost export trade in eggs? In regard to the first of these questions, farm egg production is increasing very rapidly, in fact there has been a gain of fifty per cent. since 1921. In the same time the number of hens etc. on Canadian farms has increased by only 35 per cent., showing that the production per hen has increased considerably since 1921, due to the rearing of better birds for egg-production. The process of weeding out undesirable birds and substituting hens of proven high-production strain appears to have borne excellent results in the past year, an increase of 6.8 per cent. in production being recorded for 1927 over 1926, while the number of hens etc. in farm flocks increased by only one-sixth of one per cent. Even without increasing the farm flocks the industrious biddies of 1927 just about kept up with increasing population and the increasing appetite of Canadians for eggs. There is still room for very great improvement in the farm flocks from the egg-production standpoint, but the process cannot go on indefinitely and the farm flocks must eventually be increased to keep up domestic supplies of eggs if consumption per capita goes on climbing.

If Canada had the eggs, she could no doubt find a market for them in Great Britain, says the Department of the Interior, through its Natural Resources Intelligence Service. In fact the market for her surplus eggs has always been there, but since 1922 the exportable surplus has never amounted to much. But just imagine the magnitude of the market in the United Kingdom and what could be done with poultry in Canada if prices were attractive. The United Kingdom spent over \$90,000,000 a year on im-

ported eggs in 1925 and 1926. The Imperial Economic Committee reports that requirements from home and Empire sources are 5,700 million eggs a year or 470 million dozen—nearly twice Canada's farm egg production—this with a consumption of only 125 eggs per capita. The system of uniform grading and government certification to which they have been subjected has enabled Canada's eggs to command a premium over all other eggs on the British market. If enough of them were to be sold, John Bull might contest Jack Canuck's title to champion egg-eater of the world. But as it is only 5 out of every thousand eggs consumed in Great Britain, according to last reports, come from Canada. The United Kingdom itself supplies 433; Irish Free State, 95; China, 138; Denmark, 121; Russia, 47; Netherlands, 35; Poland, 22; Egypt, 22; Belgium, 21. South Africa supplies 5 and Australia 3, so that Canada does not rank behind the other British Dominions, but what a big thing it might be for Canada if she could get a big slice of this egg trade and especially if consumption per capita increases as it has in Canada.

Good Future For Prince Rupert Will Soon Become Important As A Grain Shipping Point

In a speech delivered at a banquet of Prince Rupert pioneers, Mr. McMorris, mayor of the city, regretted that he could not divulge the result of his recent visit to Ottawa until he had submitted a formal report to the Council, but he assured the gathering that the pioneers had made no mistake in establishing themselves in Prince Rupert. He predicted that within two years at least twenty million bushels of grain would be shipped overseas through Prince Rupert Port, and within the next ten years, all would be amply recompensed for their unswerving faith in the future of the city.



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Exceedingly smart is the modish dress shown here, consisting of a tunic blouse and a separate slip. The loose sleeves are finished with shaped bands, the removable belt is fastened at the front with a buckle, and the hemstings are attached at the shoulders. No. 1721 is in sizes 16, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust. Size 38 requires 4 1/2 yards 40-inch printed material, and 1 1/2 yards 40-inch plain. Price 25 cents the pattern.

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The Influence Of Environment In Racial Development

John Bull takes his place among the highbrows. Professor D. G. Parsons, English anatomist, says that for the past hundred years the skulls of his fellow-countrymen have been increasing in length and height. He adds that "this is a change which can be attributed only to environment, since it is repeating no known ancestral shape." The discovery is regarded as of sufficient importance to be laid before the Royal Anthropological Society. In such impressive fashion are we given to understand that the highbrows of today are the descendants of the lowbrows of yesterday. And we are told further that "the discovery of this growth upward is a strong argument for the influence of environment in racial developments and undermines faith in craniology as a guide to racial relationships."

Information is not at hand as to how Professor Parsons reached his conclusions. Was it a case of actually measuring the skulls of the departed, thus giving the lie to the assertion that dead men tell no tales? Did the anatomist carry science to the portrait gallery? Or was the hatters' guild asked to supply figures for use in the comparison? It is conceivable that the size of grandfathers' hats might play its part in the undermining of craniology as a means of determining racial relationships.

But however the result was obtained, there is reason for rejoicing because of it. It is gratifying, everywhere but in Chicago, to be told that the English are becoming highbrows. But the information is of course, to be understood as applying to the general. There were highbrows in Merry England in the brave days of old. No communication to the Royal Anthropological Society will cause Francis Bacon, John Milton and Shakespeare to be numbered among the lowbrows. —Boston Transcript.

Manitoba Mine Is Gold Producer

The Central Manitoba Mines have shipped 3 gold bricks since the mill began running a few weeks ago. Development work continues and ore reserves now in sight are sufficient to supply present capacity for three years. The ore is improving in quality with depth. T. C. Anderson, vice-president, states. Exploration with diamond drills is in progress on sections of the property that have not yet been opened up.

Speed Of Radio

If a bullet from a modern high powered rifle did not lose its speed, it could travel around the world in a little over 15 hours; while the impulses from radio-sending station would cover the same distance in less than one-seventh of a second.

Thermometers sent up in experimental balloons have noted a slight rise in temperature beyond the altitude of 6 1/2 miles.

IS VAST ORGANIZATION

Upkeep Of London Hospital Costs Million and a Quarter Dollars Yearly

"The Prince of Beggars" has made what he thinks may be his final appeal. In the last 30 years he has begged from the public many millions of dollars, and he is still asking for more. Surely, therefore, he deserves the title which the newspapers have bestowed upon him. "Deserved" is the right word, for he has begged whole-heartedly in a good cause—the cause of suffering humanity. Viscount Knutsford is chairman of the London Hospital, the largest hospital in this country, which needs an income of over a million and a quarter dollars yearly for its upkeep. It was founded in 1740 with a substantial fund of 100 guineas, and soon afterward the secretary had the unpleasant duty of informing his committee that they had just one shilling left in the bank.

But the hospital survived the crisis, and in the course of the ensuing 188 years has developed, after many trials and tribulations, into the present vast organization.

The London Hospital has eighteen operating theatres, fourteen special departments, a laundry that washes 3,000,000 pieces a year, four convalescent homes and surgical annexes, a nurses' training school, a medical college and laboratories and equipment as complete as money and brains can provide.

Such a huge institution, run on the voluntary system, with its doors thrown open generously to every sufferer from every disease, needs a huge income; and it is due mainly to the mendicant proclivities of "the Prince of Beggars" that it has been able to carry on its great work.

Becomes Paying Industry

Texas Oil Workers Make Money Selling Rattlesnake Skins

Dame Fashion has interfered with a pastime of workers in the oil fields of West Texas.

Men who work under the derelicts once delighted in tossing sticks of dynamite or small cans of nitroglycerine into dens of rattlesnakes. But fashion decrees snakeskin shoes and gave the reptiles a commercial value. So the workmen, who have been none too prosperous because of the slump in the oil industry, now drag the snakes from the dens with hooked poles and collect the skins, which are dried in the sun and shipped to shoe manufacturing centres where they bring price which nicely augments the wages of the laborers.

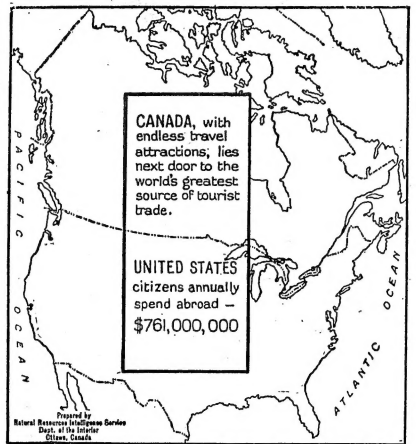
Several hundred rattlesnakes have been found in a single den.

Right At That

To test their knowledge of English the native students in a Chinese Christian college were asked to give in their own language the meaning of certain phrases, including "Out of sight, out of mind." One of them summed up the situation in two words—"Invisible, insane."

Canada's Matchless Advantage In Relation To The Growing Tourist Trade From U. S.

If the volume of United States tourist travel continues to grow at anything like its recent rate, it will be only a matter of two or three years until the amount of money expended by Americans abroad reaches the colossal sum of a thousand million dollars a year. For 1928, according to the United States Department



of Commerce, the outlay of American tourists was roughly \$761,000,000—or nearly twice as much as the Dominion Government collects in tax revenues in an ordinary year. Canada's position in relation to this trade is one of matchless advantage. Already our tourist business represents a big item, the expenditures of tourists in the Dominion amounting

in all in 1927, there is probably no other country so favorably situated for attracting tourist trade.

The warm welcome which Canadians extend to visitors is an ever-growing influence in directing travel toward the Dominion. Those who come gladly return again and bring their friends with them.—Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior.

Banting Sweet Corn

New Variety That Matures In Less Than Seventy Days

The new Banting corn originated by the Division of Horticulture of the Experimental Farms System, is proving so valuable in the Prairie Provinces that steps are being taken to produce large supplies of seed. This variety of sweet corn, practically equal to Golden Bantam, becomes ready for use in less than seventy days, which makes it adaptable for general use in the home and market gardens of colder parts of the Dominion. A considerable quantity of seed of the Banting corn was produced at the Morden, Manitoba, Experimental Station last year. This year the stock is to be multiplied at some of the other Western Experimental Stations.

Garden Roses

Five Hundred Varieties Have Been Tested Out In Canada

Roses have been under test at the Central Experimental Farm for forty years, and observations on the relative hardiness, attractiveness, blooming season, freedom from disease, and general merits of different varieties have been made and recorded. Some 500 varieties are now being grown in the flower gardens of the farm. The results of these years of investigation are given in a bulletin entitled "Hardy Roses" which is distributed by the Publications Branch of the Department of Agriculture at Ottawa. An interesting list of roses recommended for small gardens is given in the bulletin. They are all varieties which have been grown successfully at Ottawa. Among the roses in the list are three Hybrid Perpetuals of outstanding merit. One, Frau Karl Druschki, is acknowledged to be the finest white rose in cultivation. It is a strong, healthy grower with an abundance of bloom throughout most of the season. Another very popular hybrid perpetual is Mrs. John Laing, a rosy pink, fragrant variety which does well in town gardens. The third variety is the Hugh Dickson, a very attractive crimson, shaded scarlet flower, vigorous, and a free bloomer.

Hybrid Tea Roses recommended are Caroline Testout, a reliable, bright warm pink variety, Gruss and Tepitz, a very fragrant and hardy crimson rose, and La Tosca, a pale pink. Perpetual roses recommended are: Mme. Edouard Heriot, a free vigorous bloomer with a wonderful combination of coloring, Souvenir de Claudius Pernet, a beautiful yellow flower, and Willowmere, a hardy, continuous bloomer of unusual color.

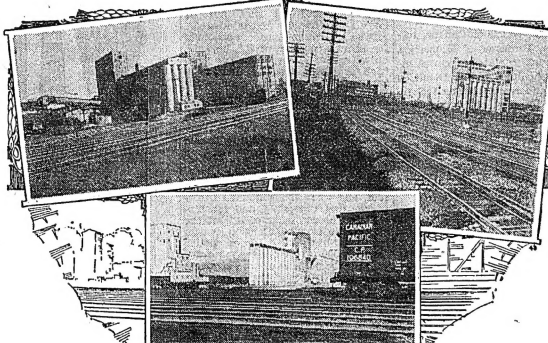
B.C. Lumber Production

Lumber production in British Columbia in 1927 totalled 740,230,000 feet board measure, an increase of 27,600,000 feet over 1926. The principal export markets for British Columbia lumber and forest products were the United States and Japan. The value of the lumber production in the province last year is placed at \$88,078,000.

World's Grain Show

Promoters of the proposed World's grain show to be held at Regina, Saskatchewan, in 1932, are forwarding their plans as rapidly as possible. The Saskatchewan legislature and the Regina Industrial and Agricultural Association have endorsed the project, and the federal government will now be approached with view of getting its approval and support.

C. P. R. Adds Further Trackage



Photos show the huge area covered by the railway tracks of the Canadian Pacific Railway around the harbour of Vancouver, also the new elevators recently constructed.

Over one hundred miles of trackage will shortly have been laid by the Canadian Pacific Railway in serving the ports of the Vancouver District. It is shown by the extent of the works now underway about that city.

An indication of the programme of extension of the already multifarious trackage facilities is given in the plans being carried out at Pier B-C at the foot of Granville Street, and in the proposed new C.P.R. yard at the south end of the second Narrows Bridge, and of the allowance for further additions when necessary.

Mr. C. A. Cotterell, C.P.R. General Superintendent, has issued figures demonstrating the vast extent of ex-

istant trackage facilities exclusive of main and subsidiary lines running through the yards for the passage of through and local trains, serving Vancouver and her sister ports.

On the north shore to the south end of the second Narrows Bridge, the C.P.R. has more than 9 miles of trackage. From the south end of the second Narrows Bridge to Coal Harbour are another 27 miles. The False Creek Yard comprises 27 miles, and the south False Creek Yard has between three and four miles. In the Cowitlan Terminal Yard, serving both Vancouver and New Westminster, there are 22 miles of trackage, with yard capacity for double that mileage should it become necessary.

Another four miles of yard rails lie west of the Fraser River Bridge.

This trackage, so far as the C.P.R. is concerned, is not only taking care of a steady and normal growth in trade through the great port, but also handling an abnormal expansion in westward grain movement. Additions have been made and others will be necessary to care for this growing westbound traffic, which reached a peak in the crop season of 1927-28. The Canadian Pacific's first westward train shipments were made in 1922, attained more than 50,000,000 bushels in 1923-24, and reached the record this spring of 53,000,000 bushels shipped through the port before the end of February.

Save the Valuable "Poker Hands"



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COOL AND FRAGRANT

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Active preparations are being made for the prohibition poll in New South Wales, in September. The liquor business is to be compensated to the extent of \$100,000,000.

When Gen. Umberto Mobile reaches the North Pole in his dirigible, Italy, he will drop a medal to commemorate soldiers in the Italian Alps who were killed in the war.

British Columbia is shipping more dairy cattle to China, and despite political uncertainty there, the market for good stock continues in a healthy condition, according to Dr. A. Knight, Provincial Live Stock Commissioner.

A radio message which described terrific Arctic storms has been received by Edward Hove Forbush, Boston, state director of ornithology, from Commander Donald D. MacMillan, whose schooner, Bowdoin, is now at anchor in a Labrador harbor.

Hon. Peter Heenan, federal minister of labor, may represent Canada at the international labor conference at Geneva this year. The conference opens on May 30, and should the parliamentary and industrial situation of the country permit of the minister's absence, he will undertake the trip.

Going Fishing?

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There are now 115 miles of roads in Jasper National Park, of which 38 miles are surfaced for automobile traffic. Added to these are some 630 miles of well defined trails leading to various points of interest.

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Small Town Papers

BY FRANK PARKER STOCKBRIDGE
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"So they were," he answered. "It was raised on the farm, but I never liked it. That's why I came down to New York in the first place. And when dad died I sold the farm and bought the paper—the old Middleboro Gazette. Couldn't get the virus of printer's ink out of my system."

I waited for Bert to go on, but he said nothing more in response to my question.

"I meant your gold mine," I ventured after a moment's silence. "What sort of business have you been in? You seem to have been successful."

Bert looked at me with a puzzled expression, as if he thought I was trying to kid him. "Why, I just told you," he said. "I bought the Middleboro Gazette."

I saw at once that I must have seemed stupid to Bert. Some big industry had picked Middleboro for its plant and made the country village into a big city, as the General Electric did at Schenectady. But for the life of me I couldn't remember which industry it was. Middleboro? I couldn't think of anything to connect the name of the town with. But I didn't let on to Bert.

"Oh, I see," I responded cheerfully. "And as the town grew big enough for a daily you grew with it, eh? Fine! What's your population now, anyway?"

About the same as it always has been, maybe a little less," he answered. "Around 2,000. But we've got a circulation of more than 3,000. Not so bad for a country weekly, what? Be a long time before Middleboro will need a daily, if any."

"Hold on a minute, Bert," I gasped. "Let me get this straight. You've been right there in Middleboro for twenty years, running a country weekly in a town of 2,000 people, and now you've retired on your income and your wife goes shopping in Fifth Avenue and—Oh, what's the use? I just can't seem to get this straight."

"I hadn't known you as well as I used to, I'd think you were trying to put on over one," he said, smiling to tell me that anybody ever made that much money, or any money more than a bare living, and a poor one at that, out of a country weekly. You must have some property besides that, Bert."

"I have now, of course," he grinned back at me. "Naturally. I've made investments, same as any business man does with his surplus. I've got a block of stock in the New York National and some shares in the creamery and the cold-storage plant, and a few pieces of business property in the town, and one thing and another of that sort. But it all came out of the Gazette in the first place, and all I had to start with was the \$3,000 mother and I got for the farm after dad died. Of course, I've plowed a lot of the profits back into the paper, to keep it newsworthy."

plant up to date, you know. I'll inventory now—the plant—around \$25,000, and the buildings worth another \$10,000; goodwill and all, I wouldn't take \$50,000 for the Gazette. It earns now around 40 per cent. on that figure, and you've no idea how far \$20,000 a year will go in a town the size of Middleboro."

"Oh, I go a long way in New York," I conceded. "What's your me, though, Bert, is the idea that there's such money, or the half of it, to be made out of any country weekly paper, anywhere, any time. As my old Yankee granddaddy used to say, it heats my ting. You're sure you're making that out of the paper, not out of the job-printing business?"

I must give Bert credit for being good-natured. He always was, and besides, he'd always liked me in the old days and he knew I liked him a lot. Some men would have got mad to be questioned that way, but he knew I was friendly and interested.

"The job-printing business accounts for about a quarter of my income, answering my latter question first. 'Job printing' is a minor item in a modern country newspaper office instead of being the main reliance, as it used to be. It's a specialty that hasn't got anything really to do with making a newspaper. I've got a younger boy—they're both with me in the business now, running the shop—the younger one, Joe, has got an idea he could do better with the job plant if he had it out under its own roof, and were fixing now to incorporate that separately and let him see what he can make of it. But the old Gazette, standing alone on its own hind legs, has pulled down better than \$15,000 a year net for me every year for the past five or six years, and it's getting better all the time."

"Yes, you're right," he went on. "It does beat your time. It's a new thing, this development of the country weekly into a remunerative industry, instead of a hazardous gamble. The odds all against the editor and publisher, as it used to be. It wasn't any too easy the first few years, but the Gazette, though I always looked down more than I needed to live on right from the start. And it isn't like taking candy from a baby now—get me right on that. A man's got to know the business and work at it, same as any other business. And if he does that I don't know any business in the world that'll pay him so big a return on his investment, or stand up so solidly under competition from outside or that's so hard to kill."

(To Be Continued.)

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Mrs. Geo. McKenzie, Campbellford, Ont., writes:—"A short time ago I was troubled very badly with my heart and nerves, the cause of it, I think, was my going through the change of life."

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1. Write your answers in pen and ink, on one side of the paper. Put name and address in upper right hand corner stating that star puzzle for the name of this paper. Write anything else on separate sheet. Don't send false names or addresses.

2. If you find the correct answer, write only one name in prize.

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Value Of Chemical

Fire Extinguisher
Device Is Best Known Form Of First Aid

The secretary of the National Fire Prevention Association, who spoke in Montreal before the Safety League, stressed the value of chemical fire extinguishers not only for institutions, but for private residences.

"These devices are the best form of first aid yet developed, and a very great number of fires in North America have been extinguished by the intelligent use of these extinguishers in the hands of householders and employees."

Buy Canadian Wheat

The people of the West will be surprised to learn that Germany bought 45,498,258 bushels of the Canadian wheat that went out of Montreal last year, and Great Britain 38,644,486 bushels; Holland bought 33,554,497 bushels; Italy, 19,301,344 bushels and Belgium, 19,179,566 bushels.

The gray fox is much less swift than the red fox; it differs also in important structural characters and unlike all other foxes, is an expert climber.

The mother of Hume, the historian, considered him weak-minded as a youth.

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Alberta's progress since its creation into a province in 1905 is indicated by the increase in the number of industrial establishments from 97 in that year to 739 last year. In the same interval the production increased from \$5,000,000 to \$55,000,000.

The greatest known age attained by an insect was that of a queen ant which Sir John Lubbock kept alive for fifteen years.

The more a man gets the more he wants and the more he wants the more he doesn't get.

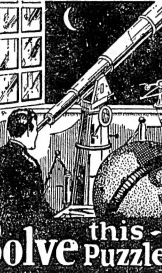
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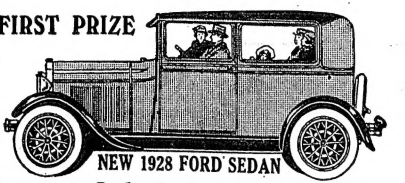
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How He Did It
"I will notice," the professor told them, "some start with three points, others four points, some five, or six points, etc. The number of points each star has determines what letter of the word of the message that star stands for. For instance if a star has three points it is the letter A. However, if it has four points it is either d, e, or f. Some stars represent only one letter, some 2 letters and some 3 letters. I have worked out the table code for you, now you count the number of points on each star and try to find what letter each star stands for or referring to the table code. I have correctly arranged the stars so that each row of stars spells a word of the message. In order to help you a list the first word is 'Greater.'"



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NAVIGATION TO PORT CHURCHILL SEASON OF 1930

Ottawa.—Navigation via the Hudson Straits to Port Churchill in the season of 1930 is the present objective of the Departments of Marine and Fisheries and Railways and Canals.

Plans are now being created for the setting up in the straits of two direction finding stations, similar to those operated by the Department of Marine on the Atlantic Coast, and in the Gulf of St. Lawrence.

The Canadian Government ship, Montcalm, will leave for the North about the middle of June, under the direction of Major N. B. a special crew and equipment North to undertake the refueling of the ship, Canadian Raider, which was beached last summer after some difficulties were encountered.

During the summer, the work on the direction finding stations will be commenced and the men who will be in charge of this work will take over much of the equipment which the air force will leave when they conclude their work and start South. The Polar planes will be packed up and returned on the Montcalm.

It is understood that the air force will retain these planes which were purchased specially for operation in the straits.

The Department of Railways and Canals will probably send a special crew and equipment North to undertake the refueling of the ship, Canadian Raider, which was beached last summer after some difficulties were encountered.

Dominions Must Decide

Signature Of Anti-War Pact Left To Countries Involved

Washington.—Whether the self-governing Dominions would sign separately any anti-war pact, which is concluded is a matter to be decided between the British countries themselves, said Frank B. Kellogg, United States Secretary of State, to the Canadian press.

"The United States would, of course, welcome the signatures of any or all of the British Dominions," he continued.

The secretary of state had been asked if, in the event of Great Britain adhering to the proposed pact to outlaw war, Canada and the other British Dominions would be asked to sign separately.

Asked if he had had any conversation with the Canadian government on the subject during his recent visit to Ottawa, Secretary Kellogg replied that he had not.

The next step by the United States government has not been decided on, said.

Movies Sent By Wire

Ten Feet Of Film Used In Successful Experiment

Chicago.—An advance in the transmission of pictures by wire was made when for the first time a motion picture was sent over telephone lines to New York city for display there.

A close up of Vilma Banky, motion picture star, was taken in the telephone offices of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company, and within half an hour the film had been developed and was being transmitted over the wires.

The film was cut up into short strips and sent as "stills" or ordinary pictures. At the other end of the line the strips were placed together and then photographed on a regular motion picture film. Ten feet of film were used in the experiment.

B.C. Student Receives Award

Toronto.—Dermot A. Davies, a student at the University of British Columbia, has been awarded a \$1,000 graduate fellowship in economics offered by the Royal Bank of Canada to the students in attendance at any Canadian University who submitted the best paper on one of several topics in connection with the important problems confronting Canada.

Empire Fair Shows Deficit

London.—There was a deficit of £1,756,000 in connection with the British Empire Exhibition of 1924-25, according to Captain Douglas Hacking, M.P., parliamentary under-secretary of state for the Home Department, who was asked about the matter in the House of Commons.

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A Great Aid To the West

Building Of Railways To Outlying Parts Proves Big Factor

Toronto.—"One of the greatest things the Liberal Government ever did was the building of railways to outlying parts of the country, such as the Hudson's Bay Railway and new lines into the northern part of Western Canada," said C. R. McIntosh, M.P. for North Battleford, and proprietor of the North Battleford News, at a luncheon given by the Toronto Men's Liberal Association.

Years ago, he continued, Canadians flocked across the border, as there were no railroads in the back country. Today lines were being constructed and the result was that the country was filling up with good families from all over the world. Speaking of immigration, Mr. McIntosh said his district was populated by people from all parts of the world. "These people," he said, "who have labored and labored to make homes for themselves must be given a place in the governing of our country. Otherwise in the future we will encounter trouble."

Commander Daniel

Found Guilty

Sentenced To Dismissal From Ship With Severe Reprimand

Gibraltar.—The first court-martial growing out of the Royal Oak affair which has stirred the British navy ended with the conviction of Commander H. M. Daniel, on charges of conduct prejudicial to discipline.

The court, after deliberating one hour and ten minutes, found him guilty on all charges and sentenced him to dismissal from his ship and a severe reprimand. The sentence did not imply dismissal from the service and means that the commander will remain on half pay until it pleases the admiralty to appoint him to another ship or another post.

Baldwin May Have

Another Term

Will Be Returned To Power At Next Election, It Is Predicted

Winnipeg.—The Baldwin Government will be returned to power at the next elections and the Liberal party will do better than it did last time, declared Sir Robert Horne, ex-chancellor of the exchequer in the British Parliament, who spent two hours in this city while en route east in the course of a tour of the Empire.

Sir Robert considered Premier Baldwin to be being returned to power and the Liberal party, he thought, would be solid under Lloyd George. The latter, he said, was the only leader available.

Ontario Session Ends

1928 Session Of Ontario Legislature Prorogued With Usual Ceremonies

Toronto.—With the usual military pomp and traditional ceremony Lieut.-Governor W. D. Ross formally prorogued the 1928 session of the Ontario legislature. Greeted on his arrival at the parliament buildings by a salute of booming guns, His Honor entered the legislative chamber sharp at three o'clock for the brief ceremony. The galleries were sparsely filled and many of the members had already dispersed to their homes. The desk of Alexander Stuart, M.L.A. for North Renfrew, who died on Sunday, was draped in a Union Jack surmounted with crepe.

Use Drastic Methods

Bandits Receive Short Shift From Mexican Troops

Puebla, Mexico.—Bandits captured in the state of Puebla are being hanged to trees beside the highways wherever found in this region by federal troops and home guards. The bodies are being left until devoured by vultures, the authorities hoping that the grisly sight will deter other holdup men. At one point not far from Puebla three bodies swing from a tree beside the road and at another point are two bodies, while in several other places there are from one to three.

To Vote On Beer Parlors

Brandon.—Petitions containing over 1,700 names have been filed with the city clerk for a vote to be taken on the local option clause in the Manitoba Liquor laws, and accordingly the council has decided that the vote will be taken on or about May 15. The vote must be taken within six weeks and on the result will depend the opening of beer parlors in this city.

Recognition For

Herman Trelle

Alberta Government Purchases Quarter Section Of Farm At Wemby Edmonton.—Payment of a first installment in the purchase price of a quarter section of his farm at Wemby has been made to Herman Trelle, the Peace River wheat champion, through the department of public works. An appropriation of \$5,000 was passed in the estimates for this province.

Under the terms of the agreement, the quarter-section is being leased to Mr. Trelle for a term of five years with the option of purchase at the end of that time. The land adjoins the remainder of his holdings, on which his prize-winning wheat was grown, and is itself under cultivation.

It is understood that Mr. Trelle will continue his experimental work in which he has already achieved such distinguished success, and the action of the government, which was fully sanctioned by the legislature, is by way of demonstrating a province's grateful recognition of services rendered and good publicity provided through a double championship.

YUKON ENTERS FEDERAL OLD AGE PENSION PLAN

Ottawa.—Yukon has entered the federal old-age pensions scheme. George I. MacLean, newly appointed gold commissioner of the Yukon Territory, has affixed his signature to an agreement with the Dominion Government to participate in the federal plan.

An order-in-council will shortly be passed by cabinet council, in accordance with the established procedure, authorizing Hon. Peter Heenan, minister of labor, to sign for the federal government.

Yukon Territory is the second to join in the federal old-age pensions scheme passed at the last sessions of the Dominion Parliament. Several months ago British Columbia, through Hon. A. M. Mansson, provincial minister of labor, executed an agreement with Mr. Heenan along similar lines to that with Yukon.

Manitoba and Saskatchewan are now negotiating with Mr. Heenan; and it is probable that these two provinces will shortly also come under the federal plan. Legislation to enter into negotiations was recently passed by the legislatures of Manitoba and Saskatchewan.

The signature of Gold Commissioner MacLean was affixed under authority of an ordinance passed at the last session of the Yukon Legislature.



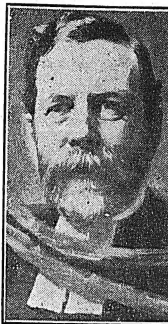
Western Rivers Re-stocked

Upper.—The government hatchery at Banff, Alta. Lower—A live male cutthroat after stripping. Note the protruding lower jaw, characteristic of male cutthroats.

A full report of the activities of the McLeod River in Northern Alberta, is popular for its fish. That it was a successful year for the Banff hatchery and that the benefit of this work will soon be felt by anglers, none can doubt.

Spray Lakes and the surrounding streams received the eyed eggs and 205,800 of the total number of cutthroat. Of the remaining 745,000, some 110,000 were distributed between the Jumping Pound and its tributaries, Tough and Lees creeks,

VETERAN PASTOR PASSES



Dr. G. M. Milligan, veteran of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and pastor emeritus of Old St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, and widely known throughout the Dominion, who died recently in his 85th year.

Grant For Research

Placed At Disposal Of Canadian Society Of Technical Agriculturists

Ottawa.—A sum of \$4,000 has been placed at the disposal of the Canadian Society of Technical Agriculturists by the International Education Board of New York, founded by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., in 1923, to be used in making a survey of graduate and research facilities available at Canadian agricultural colleges as in the Federal and Provincial Departments of Agriculture. A part of the money will be used in preparing and publishing a graduate calendar upon such a survey.

The C.S.T.A. has arranged for the release of Dr. Robert Newton, of the University of Alberta. He will undertake the survey in January, 1929.

Wins Ribbon For Livestock

Calgary Man Carries Off Honors At Alberta Stock Show

Calgary.—W. P. Fleming, of Calgary, carried off the red ribbon for the best carload of 15 finished steers, 1,100 pounds and over, at the Alberta spring stock show. Leading breeders from many parts of the Dominion were present and expressed the opinion that this carload of Herefords were the finest ever exhibited in Western Canada.

Mr. Fleming also carried off prize honors for the best five finished steers over 1,100 pounds.

Frank Collett, of Crossfield, succeeded in winning first and second place for 15 steers under 1,100 pounds.

Plan Study Of Arctic

Nineteen Nations Will Contribute To Work Of Conference

Washington.—When representatives of 19 nations gather in Leningrad next June, in an international conference on Arctic explorations, the United States may be one of them.

If so, it will mark the first time that the United States has participated side by side with a Russian delegation in such a conference and the first time this country had sent an official delegate to Russia since it became the Soviet of Socialist Republics.

The foreign affairs committee of the House of Representatives has voted favorably on a resolution which proposed U.S. participation in the International Society for the Exploration of the Arctic regions by airship.

Among the 19 nations who are expected to contribute to the work of the society are also Great Britain, France, Italy, Germany and Japan, Canada is not included.

Completing Highway In B.C.

Federal Government Agrees To Co-Operate In Construction Work

Revelstoke, B.C.—A start on the last link of the trans-Canada highway between Revelstoke and Golden will be made early next month, according to Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Provincial Minister of Public Works.

According to the minister, the Dominion Government has agreed to co-operate in the construction of the highway around the Columbia River and the work to be undertaken will commence at a point on the big bend North of here where work stopped at the beginning of winter.

Dr. Sutherland stated that the federal government cannot undertake the building of a road through Glacier National Park, but has offered to assist the province in building around the big bend. It is understood that Ottawa's contribution will approximate \$1,000,000. The work to be undertaken this year will be extensive, it was stated, and may entail an expenditure of \$225,000.

Will Borrow Three Million

Alberta Confident That Debentures Will Find Ready Sale

Edmonton.—A debenture issue of \$3,000,000 will be made by the province of Alberta at the beginning of May. It will be in part for refunding purposes, covering an item of \$825,000 maturing June 1, and the balance will be used for general expenditure requirements of the government.

The exact terms and conditions of the issue have not yet been determined, but in view of the fact that the Eastern money market is now favorably disposed, the treasury is looking for just about the best sale it has ever made.

NO CHANGE IN BRITISH POLICY TOWARD EGYPT

Manchester, Eng.—Sir William Joynson-Hicks, secretary of the home office, told the Cotton Spinners' Association that the latest Egyptian note would work no change in British policy. He said:

"It is true we have received a somewhat foolish despatch from the Egyptian Government. But I ask you to put your faith in His Majesty's government, and realize that this despatch will mean no change in British policy. A reply to the Egyptian Government will be made shortly."

Sir William also said that he looked forward to the time when Lancashire would be independent of the cotton supplies from the "great west" and would get all its cotton from the British Empire.

Cairo, Egypt.—Premier Nahas explained to Cairo newspaper representatives briefly, Egypt's position with regard to Great Britain.

"In our note to Great Britain," he said, "we have striven, on the one side to uphold our country's rights, and on the other to maintain unimpaired our friendly relations with Great Britain."

The note in question was Egypt's rejoinder to the British Government's latest note on the rejection by Egypt of the proposed treaty.

In his explanation the premier dealt solely with Egypt's rejection of the British claim to the right of interference with Egyptian legislation and with Egypt's ability unaided to protect foreigners. Nahas laid stress on his desire to prepare the way for "real friendship."

OTTAWA MAY CONTROL RADIO BROADCASTING

Ottawa.—Government control of all radio broadcasting in Canada looms as a strong possibility of the future. They have such a system in Great Britain and it may come to it here before long.

While there has been no official decision as yet, it is known that such a proposition is being considered by those who have to do with radio.

A great deal of trouble is being experienced owing to the fact that many people—a fast increasing number—want to be into the broadcasting, whereas the channels of communication are very limited. Much conflict arises and complaints are very numerous as to reception being spoiled and other disagreeable conditions existing.

In consequence of this, it is learned that some interests securing new licenses have been cautiously advised not to make extensive financial commitments lest, as a development of the near future, the whole broadcasting business be taken over by the state.

Heretofore, both in Canada and the States, control over radio has been by license, but the broadcasts have been privately-owned enterprises.

In Great Britain it is all done by the British Broadcasting Company, which is directly under the control of the British Government.

Although similar course here has not been decided upon, much is being said in favor of it and complaints regarding the present system tend strongly to encourage such a departure along the same lines as the British method. It is regarded as a strong possibility of the not distant future.

Trapper Found Dead In Northern Manitoba

Foul Play Not Suspected But Investigation Is Being Made

Nelson House, Man.—Word has been received here of the discovery of the body of John Lindbergh, 67 years old, in his cabin near Lake Trout, about six days journey from here. He left for the Northland last summer to establish a trapping line in the district.

Death is believed to have been due to natural causes.

The body was found by another trapper and his Indian companion who had decided on a visit to Lindbergh's cabin. They found several feet of snow piled against the entrance to the shack, with the door fastened from the inside.

Forcing their way in, the men found Lindbergh's body stretched on a bed. He was fully clothed. The cabin was in order and the body showed no signs of violence. A little wood was in the stove and there was plenty of food in store.

The last day scratched off the calendar was February 18.

Provincial police are investigating.

Violation Of Elections Act

Fifty-One Men Fined \$100 Each In Montreal

Montreal.—Found guilty of violating the municipal elections act, 51 men were fined \$100 each here, as an aftermath of the municipal elections.

Three women taken into custody suspected of having either "telegraphed" or attempted to "telegraph" votes were detained until the polls closed and then released.

This was the first official case wherein a woman was arrested on such a charge.

Of the 51 men found guilty, twenty were charged with impersonation at the polls, while the other thirty-one were charged with "attempting to telegraph" votes.

Had Lucky Escape

St. Catharines, Ont.—Although he fell thirty feet from the new bascule bridge built across the Welland ship canal at Homer, alighting on his shoulder on the other side after striking and being turned about by the riggers, Elmer Green, an employee of the Hamilton Bridge Company, regained consciousness and will be able to be out of the hospital shortly.

Three British Fliers Killed

Hong Kong.—Three British fliers were killed when the engine of their seaplane exploded as they were returning to the aircraft carrier Hermes. The victims were Flying Officers Hale and Graham, and the telegraph operator, Jackson.



LESSON No. 16

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CHAPTER XXI.—Continued

Thus appeared to, Danny Corbett went over to the couch and carefully inspected the young thing that was likely to make inroads in his hard earned income. He put his clapped and dirty little hand very lightly on the glossy, smooth head, and felt its tiny bent. He gently touched the velvet cheek and found it soft as a rose-leaf to his fingers. He put his hand in his pocket and drew out thirty cents in change and looked hard at it. He may have been thinking of cold winds and aching legs—he knew something of them. But his answer was, "Sure Mike! I'll do it. Are you pretty sure her mother will die, Ma?" Danny's tone was eager.

"We ain't wishin' her mother no harm, Ma," Rosie quickly interposed, seeing the rebuke that was coming to her business partner. "We ain't wishin' nobody no harm." Rosie was very anxious not to prejudice the case. "But we know that she's always a danger—you know yourself, Ma, that none of us knows one day from another,—we're here today and away tomorrow, as I have often heard you say,—and Danny and me are just talkin' it over in a case something should happen—that's all."

The warm heart of Maggie Corbett was tender to her offspring at that moment. "Look at that, John, would you? Good little things, after all, and yet it was only this mornin' they were fightin' like drunken shantymen. I often thought if they had had a baby in the house it might have softened them. Well, don't be settin' your hearts on this wee one, for her mother is not goin' to die, I don't think; though you never can tell about a woman when her man has gone back on her."

Outside the snow was still falling. The evergreen trees were bending with the weight of it, their branches hanging down like great white bears' paws. Christmas Eve surged forward with all its infectious gladness as the crowds of belated shoppers increased. The electric fans in the win-

YOUNG WOMEN SUFFER MOST

These Two Found Relief by Taking Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.—"I have been teaching for three years, and at the end of the year I always feel tired and have no appetite. I was a full sick each month, too, having pains in my back until sometimes I was obliged to stop working. A friend recommended Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to me and I heard many women telling how good it was so I thought it would help me. And it did. Now I take six bottles every year and recommend it to others." DONALDA PATEUX, Ayer's Cliff, Quebec.

"Unable to Work" Canning, Nova Scotia.—"I had irregular periods and great suffering at those times, the pains causing vomiting and fainting, and I was teaching school and often for some hours I would be unable to attend to my work. Through an advertisement in the papers I knew of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has been of great benefit to me, my troubles being completely relieved." LAURA J. EATON, Canning, King's County, Nova Scotia.

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dows were hard pressed to keep back the shooting frost ferns, which threatened to hide the season's offerings. Handcuffs, cutters, with beautiful bows thrown over the backs of the seats, stopped at the curb to let out hurrying shoppers; delivery boys on foot, on wheels, in wagons, loaded with parcels, hurried to the suburbs of the city, sometimes pausing to look in at uncurtained windows where happy families gathered around sparkling tables—families so happy over the arrival of guests that they forgot to draw the blinds and so allowed some of their happiness to overflow into the street. Rosy shaded lamps threw patches of radiance on the glistening snow. Christmas wreaths tied with satin streamers gleamed deeply red against the windows. The pulse of the city was beating with laughter and sleighbells.

At the corner of Second Street and Jasper Avenue a congested street car stopped to let out a flock of little girls and boys on their way to the Christmas tree in the First Baptist Church. Certain of the little girls, with their curls protected from the falling snow by being tucked safely away under their toques, were carrying mysterious pasteboard boxes containing wishes and bows and wings for the fairies. Others of them were darily hooded and masked, their identity and sex entirely unguessed, for were they not cast for the dead-end witches of Shadowland? Accompanying them was a liberal sprinkling of parents, mostly mothers, with a few self-conscious fathers who had the appearance of having been dragged out. The mothers had an air of very conscious unconcern, as if they did not know their little boys or girls were going to take a part that was bound to be the very best thing on the program.

The Salvation Army Citadel blazed with light and pulsed with activity, for the big supper, where all were welcome, was going on, and the odors of turkey and sage and onions, drifting out into the street, compelled the reluctant ones to go in.

At midnight, when the bells were ringing, the snow suddenly stopped in that abrupt Alberta way. The city's lights were so many and so bright against the deep India blue of the sky, it was hard to tell them from the stars, but high overhead was to be seen the North Star, beloved of all bewildered travellers. Now it twinkled and gleamed above all these scenes of good fellowship and merry-making with unmistakable approval. Into the uncurtained window of the deeper interest and peered with understanding, for it could see that the Winnipeg couch was drawn out from the wall to make it into a full-sized bed, and in it there slept the untroubled young Lill with Rose Corbett on one side and her Daniel Corbett on the other—her two new friends, who had covenanted in her presence and in the presence of each other to furnish her with shelter, care and sustenance in the event of her mother's death. Rose and Daniel Corbett—the underwriters!

CHAPTER XXII

It was Christmas afternoon when Helmi awakened—Christmas afternoon, the very sound of which brings pictures of children playing with trains on living-room floors, assailed with turkey and candy, starry-eyed with presents, numb with surprises and joy. Christmas afternoon! Of all the spicy, perfumed, sparkling glorious afternoons of the year the most dazzling and glorious; not merely an afternoon or a day that can be marked on a calendar or divided into hours like other afternoons—not that at all Christmas afternoon is an atmosphere, a perfume, a sensation, a feeling, a spiritual experience.

It was Christmas afternoon when Helmi awakened. Number 15 in the North Star Rooming House did not suggest festivity, with its bare, buff walls, dull gray paint, elm dresser, iron bed, bare floor, with one strip of Japanese matting worn in the middle down to the studs. But Helmi was not left entirely without some gleam of Christmas, for Rose and Danny who were going to the Salvation Army Cantata that night, went singing down the hall:

"Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down
His sweet head."

It brought to Helmi's mind the Christmas story; and because her own heart was more tender than it had ever been, owing to the rise and fall of the little white veil which covered Lill's face, she loved the little Christ more than ever, and thought of Him and His pale mother as they lay there in the manger with the noise of cattle all around them.

"The stars in the sky looked down
Where He lay,
The little Lord Jesus, asleep on
The hay."

Rosie, just outside the door, was

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singing as she 'did' the linoeum in the hall with dustless mop; Danny was working farther down the hall.

Helmi was awakened from her dream by the entrance of a little man with a slender black bag in his hand. He came in without knocking, and stood at the bottom of the bed regarding her critically. Before he could frame a question Mrs. Corbett had arrived, having seen the Doctor's car at the front door.

Mrs. Russell, who lived in No. 16 and did the cleaning in the City Hall, and therefore knew something of the correct forms of procedure, had noticed the Department of the happening in No. 15. Dr. Symond came over at once. No one likes to be disturbed on Christmas afternoon, when the delicious sizzle of a turkey pulsates in the atmosphere of the house and one has just helped to put two leaves in the dining-room table. Dr. Symond was prepared to be quite stern. Indeed, as a representative of the city authorities how could he help being stern with these unregulated young women who leave their babies on the steps of the City Hall, so to speak. It was becoming entirely too common, and the Property Owners' Association at their last meeting were complaining about it; properly so, too, for they were the people who had to pay the bills. Everyone when in need rushed to the City—widows looking for help unemployed—homeless—unfortunate girls—all come to the City.

(To Be Continued.)

Little Helps For This Week

"Be thou faithful unto death, and I will give thee a crown of life.—Rev. 11. 10.

Why should our spirits be oppressed
When days of winter fall?
Our Father knoweth what is best,
And He hath made them all.
He made them, and to all their length
Sets parallel of gain;
We gather from our pain the strength
To rise above our pain.

—Alice Cary.
God, who in mercy and wisdom governs the world, would never have suffered so many sadnesses, and have sent them especially to the most virtuous and wisest men, but that He intends they should be the seminary of comfort, the nursery of virtue, the exercise of wisdom, the trial of patience, the venturing for a crown, and the crown of glory.—Jeremy Taylor.

Talking No Chances
Nurse—"Whom are you operating on today?"
Orderly—"A fellow who had a golf ball knocked down his throat at the links."
Nurse—"And who is the man waiting so nervously in the hall—a relative?"
Orderly—"No, that's the golfer—Scots gentleman. He's waiting for his ball."

"Is that all the work you can do in an hour?" asked Sam's new employer. "Well, boss," said Sam, "I dussay I could do mob—but I nevah was one for showin' off."

Wedding Bells in Japan
Marries in first-class style in any of the larger Shinto shrines in Tokyo, Japan, costs the equivalent of \$35 gold. The ceremony includes the attendance of high priests, a clerical orchestra with flutes, cymbals and pipes, and all possible trimmings. Second-class weddings cost \$25 and so on down to weddings classed as "pink," "bamboo" and "plum," the plum style necessitating a shrine fee of \$7.50.

Jones (as he trends on tack)—"I wish you wouldn't be so careless in throwing tactics about, Mary."
Mrs. Jones (placidly)—"Henry, you are getting meaner every day. I can buy a whole package of tactics for a nickel!"
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Have Renamed Destroyer

Implied Compliment To Canada Seen In Action Of Admiralty

An implied compliment to Canada is seen in official action of the Department of National Defence, Ottawa, in the action of the British Admiralty in perpetuating memories dear to the Dominion in the renaming of a destroyer of the Royal Navy.

When Canada decided to rename the destroyers Torbay and Toreador, the two vessels taken over by the Royal Canadian Navy, to Vancouver and Champlain, it was found that another destroyer of the British fleet already bore the name Vancouver. However, the Admiralty at once offered to rename the ship of the home fleet, to avoid any confusion, and to allow Canada to use this distinctive title.

Advices received at Ottawa headquarters are to the effect that, effective April 1, the former British destroyer Vancouver will be the Vimy.



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THE NEW GERMANY

Enthusiasm For Military Training Gives Place To Interest In Outdoor Sports

Not the least significant of the characteristics of the new Germany, as contrasted with the old, is its growing interest in outdoor sports. The youth of Imperial Germany were conspicuous for their enthusiasm for military training. The youth of republican Germany, particularly those in school, are worrying their parents because they seem as much or more interested in sports and games as they are in their lessons. This turn of interest is not confined to the extremely young. A great many Germans are philosophizing on whether it is a healthy sign in the national life that 50,000 people should go to a football match, as it is now quite common for them to do. The alleged extravagance of German municipalities have been partly directed toward developing public playgrounds, and swimming pools, and spas. Respecting German communities are getting the idea that one of the obligations of modern municipal authorities is to provide healthy opportunities for recreation for their citizens. There is a tendency to devote large tracts, 100 acres or more, sometimes on a scale which would do credit to Imperial Rome, to a series of athletic fields, racetracks for runners, and motor bicycles, a succession of pools and swimming baths—occasionally nearly a hundred yards long—tennis courts, a gymnasium, open-air theatre and a large gymnasium, plus a restaurant where all kinds of refreshments are served.

Canada needs a larger population, but to bring in people for whom proper provision has not been made beforehand will only complicate the situation. Those who are for settlers at any price do not think out the results of their policy.

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And when should you begin to look for them? About the sixth or seventh month.

And which comes first? As a rule, the lower front teeth, the central incisor.

So after all baby's fretfulness he has a brand new tooth or two, so white and so sound they look, that you never give a thought to future tooth troubles.

Then the other eighteen or nineteen white coated little "millers" will follow at somewhat regular intervals until Sonny is two years old, when he should have his full temporary set. These are the temporary or deciduous teeth, being known also as the "milk teeth," from which you will be aware, of course, that they won't be retained right through adult age. They should all remain in place, however, until about the seventh year, when, through the natural process of shedding, they commence to be lost.

Then as the time approaches for the eruption of the second set, unless the first teeth are sufficiently separated in front to allow one or two thicknesses of blotting paper between them, the arches have not properly expanded and the second set is certain to be crowded and irregular. In such a case, the family dentist should always be consulted.

Since Sonny is going to lose these small teeth in good time and get a nice new set, why bother to care for them?

Well, little Sonny does not want a tooth-ache any more than you do, and for several other good reasons of which more to follow.

Too Much Food

People These Days Eat More Than They Need

The problem interesting more people than any other in this country today is birth control. There is no topic of conversation more general and more personally important to multitudes of people than how to keep from getting too fat. This is a strange phenomenon in a world that, from the dawn of history, has been hard put to it to get enough to eat. It is probable that there never has been a time when more than half of the world's population was not more or less continuously hungry, but in the United States food is so abundant that everybody must be warned not to eat too much, and there is a protest against reclaiming land lost its cultivation should increase an already embarrassing surplus of foodstuffs.

Canada needs a larger population, but to bring in people for whom proper provision has not been made beforehand will only complicate the situation. Those who are for settlers at any price do not think out the results of their policy.

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14 Orators To Compete In Contest

Fourteen district winners in the Southern Alberta division of the Canadian and International Oratorical Contest will meet in the First Baptist church, Calgary, tonight, when the winner for this half of the province will be determined.

The contest will start promptly at 7.45 o'clock. This early start is necessary because of the large number of competitors, each of whom is allowed ten minutes for his or her oration.

There will not be an admission fee nor a collection. This contest is sponsored by The Calgary Herald and The Edmonton Journal will combine in sponsoring the final for Alberta, which will be held in the First Baptist church, Calgary, Tuesday, May 1.

It is suggested that those who wish to hear Alberta's young orators on Thursday night, get to the church early. There is sure to be an overflow and under the circumstances it is not possible to make reservations.

Harry C. Sweet, of Lethbridge, president of the Alberta Teachers' Alliance, will preside and the judges will be Judge Jackson, of Lethbridge; H. G. McCrea, of Hanna; Mayor Harold Snell, of Red Deer; Walter Huckvale, of Medicine Hat, and High School Inspector J. A. Smith, of Calgary.

The competitors will be: Southern Alberta winners Walter MacDonald, Red Deer district.

Helen Scott, Innisfail district.

Harry Tobin, Youngstown district.

Hugh Macdonald, Carbon district.

Franklin van Horne, Oyen district.

Millicent James, Big Valley district.

John Garrett, Strathmore district.

Harold Torgan, Bassano district.

Clyde Gilmour, Medicine Hat district.

Helen Cormier, Canmore district.

Melba Armstrong, Nanton district.

Lillian Drew, Pincher Creek district.

Orpha Vancé, Raymond district.

Arthur Cragg, Calgary district.

Cow Makes Good Record

U.A. Roan Lady 1st, 168547—a registered Shorthorn cow in the herd of the University of Alberta, has just completed a 365 day R.O.P. test during which she produced 15,428 pounds of milk with an average test of 4.3 per cent., making a total of 664 pounds of butterfat. This record places her sixth highest in Canada in point of butterfat production for Shorthorn cows. The record was made during her fourth lactation period and the cow had never been hand-milked until the commencement of the test just completed. Her record for production is more remarkable from the fact that this cow is the mother of the steer "Choice U.A." which was grand champion at the Toronto Royal Fair and champion Shorthorn steer at the Chicago International in 1927.

Medicine Hat By-Election May 1

A writ has been issued for the by-election to be held in the Medicine Hat provincial constituency to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Capt. C. S. Pringle. The election will be held on Tuesday, May 1, and Mrs. Winnifred G. Baker, of Medicine Hat, has been named as returning officer. Candidates in the field are Hector Lang, Liberal; J. J. Hendricks, Conservative, and W. E. McCombs, Labor.

Forest Fires Make

Lumber Prices Higher

It is appalling to learn that since the arrival of the white man in Canada forest fires have destroyed 60 per cent. of her primeval forest wealth. Four or five times as much timber has been burned in this country as has been cut for the uses of man and the requirements of commerce. Dissipation of our accessible timber supplies within a period of twenty-five years is forecast.

To bring home to the minds of Canadians before it is too late, the tragic loss that will result to this country if our forest areas are totally destroyed, Canadian Forest Week has been set aside. In the press, in the schools, in clubs and public gatherings, the importance of Canada's forest and Canada's forest industries will be drawn to public attention. If everybody in Canada realized that thousands of families and millions of dollars of capital are dependent upon the Canadian forests, everybody would think twice before throwing down lighted matches or cigarette stubs, or lighting fires in dangerous places and leaving them to spread on or below the surface of the ground. Carelessness has destroyed 60 per cent. The axe has taken 13 per cent. Only carefulness will save the 27 per cent. of our forest wealth that remains.

Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the interior, has to do with Canada's forests, and it is encouraging to note his activity in arousing public opinion as to the situation and the imperative need for care in preventing forest fires.

Alberta Coal Moves East

It is announced that a start will be made on Monday next to haul Alberta coal to the Ontario market over a three-year test to find a proper rate. This has been hailed with delight by mine operators, miners and others interested in the development of the industry in this province. This movement to the eastern market will stabilize conditions in the Alberta coal fields and provide regular employment for miners and railroad men, as well as making conditions better generally.

The three-year test will be long enough to prove beyond doubt what should be a proper rate for hauling; it will also be sufficient to convince the people of Ontario that Alberta coal will prove adaptable to their needs. It has always seemed an anomaly that with the huge reserves of coal in Alberta, Ontario has been compelled to buy its coal from the United States.

M. D. Collholme No. 234

Notice is hereby given that the provisions of the Domestic Animals Act, restraining animals from running at large within the municipality, shall become operative as from April 7th, 1928.

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Here and There

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Work on the Royal York, new hotel of the Canadian Pacific Railway in Toronto, is ten days ahead of schedule and there is now every probability that it will be completed by May 1, next year. It will tower 325 feet above the sidewalks, being the tallest building in the British Empire.

A. Allerton has been appointed general manager of hotels and bungalow camps east of Port William operated by the Canadian Pacific Railway; and H. P. Mathews, general manager of hotels and bungalow camps from Port William to the Pacific. The appointments were consequent on the death of C. E. E. Fisher, late general passenger traffic manager of the railway.

Palle Huld, 15-year-old Danish boy, who is travelling round the world in 40 days, passed through Montreal and the east of Canada recently on his way to Vancouver, whence he will sail by Canadian Pacific All-Red route to Yokohama. The exploit is in commemoration of the hundredth anniversary of the birth of Jules Verne, whose book "Round the World in 80 Days" has always been a favorite with boys.

Port William—Elevator capacity at Port William will probably total 100,000,000 bushels by 1930. Present storage capacity of the twin cities is recorded as 72,500,000 bushels and between 9,000,000 and 10,000,000 bushels will be added before the 1928 crop is garnered. Expansion in the following two years will take about 20,000,000 bushels, one of the largest terminal building projects either in the history of the latest head ports or any of the other centres of the continent.

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Chinook United Church

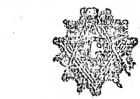
Sunday School 11 a.m.
Rev. A. G. Gay, B.A., Pastor.

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WANTED—Good Milch Cow at once. Apply W. W. Isbister, Chinook.



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Secretary

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of John Ger Knstrup, who died on or about the 14th day of January, A. D. 1928, are required to file with Shouldice & Farthing, 37 Canada Life Building, Calgary, Alberta, by the 12th day of May, A. D. 1928, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administratrix will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been filed, or which have been brought to her knowledge.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 3rd day of April, A. D. 1928.
Hedwig A. Knstrup, Administratrix of the said estate, care of Shouldice & Farthing, 37 Canada Life Building, Calgary, Alberta.

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Mortgage Sale of Farm

Properties

Pursuant to the directions of the Registrar and by virtue of the powers of sale provided by the Land Titles Act under two certain mortgages which will be procured at the time of the sale, there will be offered for sale by public auction at the Acadia Hotel, in the Village of Chinook, in the Province of Alberta, on Saturday, the 28th day of April, 1928, at the hour of 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following properties, namely:

Parcel 1. The North Half of Section 10, in Township 27, and Range 7, West of the 4th Meridian in Alberta.

Parcel 2. The East Half of Section 13, in Township 27, and Range 8, West of the 4th Meridian in Alberta. Out of each of these parcels all mines and minerals and the right to work the same.

Terms of sale to be Twenty per cent cash at the time of the sale and the balance according to the terms and conditions to be made known at the time of sale or upon application to the vendor's solicitors. Parcel 1 will be offered for sale separately. Immediately thereafter and whether the auction of parcel 1 shall have been successful or not, parcel 2 will be offered for sale separately.

Each parcel will be offered for sale subject to a sealed reserved bid and free from all encumbrances save a share-crop tenancy of parcel 2 terminable by notice between 1st December, 1928, and 1st March, 1929, and taxes for the current year.

The vendor is informed that parcel 1 is situated about 11 miles and parcel 2 about 6 miles from the Village of Chinook, and that as to:

Parcel 1. There are situated thereon no buildings, but about 3 miles of fencing and about 85 acres are under cultivation.

Parcel 2. There are situated thereon a dwelling house 26 ft. by 10 ft. with addition 8 ft. by 6 ft., a stable 18 ft. by 26 ft. with addition 14 ft. by 14 ft., 2 granaries 12 ft. by 14 ft. and 10 ft. by 12 ft. and a shed 12 ft. by 12 ft. also 2 miles of fencing and a well, and that about 165 acres are under cultivation.

For further particulars and conditions of sale, apply to D. E. Bell, Barrister, Chinook, Alberta.

DATED this 25th day of February, A.D. 1928.

Approved: W. FORBES, Registrar.

Chinook Agricultural Fair

Revised Prize List For Ladies' Work

All articles exhibited in this department must be the handwork of the exhibitor. No article which has been shown in previous years will be eligible for competition this year in the Fancy Work Class.

CLASS 29

	1st	2nd
1 Child's Frock, hand made	\$2.00	\$1.00
2 Best Fancy Apron	1.50	.75
3 Knitted Socks	2.00	1.00
4 Knitted Mitts	2.00	1.00
5 Fancy Nightgown	2.00	1.00
6 Cross Stitch, any article	2.00	1.00
7 Mat, hooked	3.00	1.50
8 Wool Yarn Mat, any kind	3.00	1.50
9 Embroidered Linen Towels	2.00	1.00
10 Towel with woven ends	2.00	1.00
11 Pillow Cases, fancy	2.00	1.00
12 Knitted Sweater, in wool	3.00	1.50
13 Handkerchief	3.00	1.50
14 Infant's Knitted Sweater, in wool	2.00	1.00
15 Child's Frock, machine made	2.00	1.00
16 Lady's Apron, machine made	2.00	1.00
17 Cat Work	1.50	.75
18 Vanity Set	2.00	1.00
19 Buffet Set	2.00	1.00
20 Embroidered Library Scarf and Cushion	3.00	1.50
21 Collection of Crochet Work	2.00	1.00
22 Collection of Knitted Work	2.00	1.00
23 Colored Luncheon Set, Embroidered	3.00	1.50
24 Luncheon Set, any kind	3.00	1.50
25 Centre-piece, linen, white, embroidered, not less than 27 inches	3.00	1.50
26 Centre-piece, colored, embroidered, not less than 27 inches	3.00	1.50
27 Crochet Centre-piece	2.00	1.00
28 Collection of 3 Fancy Handkerchiefs	1.50	.75
29 Best article made from flour or cereal sacks	1.00	.75
30 Patchwork Quilt, any kind	3.00	1.50
31 Fancy Bedspread and Bolster	3.00	1.50
32 Fancy Cushion on form	3.00	1.50
33 Best Baby Bonnet	2.00	1.00
34 Best Novelty	2.00	1.00
35 Best Six Buttonholes, made in different materials	1.00	.50
36 Best Lady's House Dress	2.00	1.00
37 Best Suit Pyjamas, machine made	1.50	.75
38 Best Day Shirt, machine made	1.50	.75
39 Wool Flowers	1.50	.75
40 Best Stencilled Article	2.00	1.00
41 Best Article, hand painted or done with Paintex	2.50	1.25
42 Best Article done in Applique	2.50	1.25

All articles must be entered on the form provided for the purpose, with class and section filled in. Exhibitors will be expected to affix their own entry tags to the exhibited articles and the Directors will be responsible for pricing them in the Hall.

Extra entry forms may be obtained from the Secretary W. A. Todd.

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Feed	.68
Rye	
2 C.W.	.99
3 C.W.	.96
Flax	
1 N.W.	1.60
2 C.W.	1.55
3 C.W.	1.55
Butter	30-35
Eggs	32 1/2